



## PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

**Confirmation No.:**

MARUYAMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1771

Serial No.: 09/863,324

Examiner: Chang, Victor S.

Filed: May 24, 2001

For: A PROTECTIVE FILM TRANSFER SHEET FOR  
PHOTO MASKS AND A METHOD FOR  
TRANSFERRING A PROTECTIVE FILM USING  
THE SAME

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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**120.00 OP**

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to

37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

- ☒ One Month      ☐ Three Months  
☐ Two Months      ☐ Four Months  
☐ Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 120.00 #44931

- ☒ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge fee to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☐ Applicant is a **small entity** entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

☒ Response

☐ Notice of Appeal

☐ Appeal Brief

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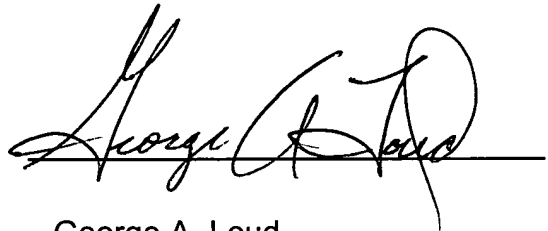
*Respectfully submitted,*

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DATE

9/16/05

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George A. Loud", written over a horizontal line.

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